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The New England College of Optometry

Commencement Exercises



1993

Sunday, May Thirtieth

John Hancock Hall
Boston, Massachusetts

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VALEDICTORY

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Valedictorian, Class of 1993

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Doctor of Ocular Science: *Dr. Li Riqian*
Doctor of Humane Letters: *Dr. Sylvio L. Dupuis*

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BENEDICTION

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RECESSIONAL

POSTLUDE

RECEPTION

Immediately following the ceremony
in the Dorothy Quincy Suite

Degrees Awarded on May 30, 1993
Doctor of Optometry

Christopher Louis Agro	Enfield, Connecticut
Stanley F. Anton	Elizabeth, New Jersey
Stephen Scott Arnold	Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Naila Aslam	San Dimas, California
Rola Youssef Attieh	Beverly Hills, California
Kathleen Mary Baidy	Scotia, New York
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Stacy Elaine Bean	Swampscott, Massachusetts
George Daniel Bertherman	Greenville, Rhode Island
Renée R. Berthiaume	New Bedford, Massachusetts
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Linda S. Brown	Stonington, Connecticut
Julie Nei Carlson	Belmont, Massachusetts
Marty Joseph Caron	Othello, Washington
Parise M. Chamberland	Madawaska, Maine
May-May Chan	Oakland, California
Arup Kumar Chatterjee	Brighton, Massachusetts
Roseann Nasca Cirincione	Rochester, New York
Debra O'Donnell Cohen	South Hadley, Massachusetts
Thomas Russell Corwin	Cambridge, Massachusetts
John Anthony Dadah	Worcester, Massachusetts
Trevor John Davies	Grahamstown, South Africa
Charles J. DeLuca	Manhasset, New York
Randall Jay Emert	St. Louis, Missouri
Fulya Yesim Erdag	Wilmington, Delaware
William Wing Hung Fan	Kowloon, Hong Kong
Camille Annette Farrell	Flushing, New York
Anthony Frank Favale, II	Brooklyn, New York
Madeline Fernandez	Piscataway, New Jersey
Gregory Martin Fowler	Atlanta, Georgia
Alan Neil Glazier	Silver Spring, Maryland
Karen Ann Grante	Waterbury, Connecticut
Dena Christelle Hall	Smithfield, Rhode Island
Tracy Ann Haradon	Holyoke, Massachusetts
Robert David Harmon	Wynnewood, Pennsylvania
Elizabeth Abigail Harris	Bedford, New Hampshire
Albert C. Ho	North Point, Hong Kong
Sonya Jaye Hooks	Temecula, California
Lenore Caroline Hummelman	Chula Vista, California
Angela Imperioli	Leamington, Ontario, Canada

Anna Lisa Ison
Jeanette Jezick
Robert J. Joba
Sandra Diane Joly
Amani Kamel
Channon Wen-Mei Kao
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Marcus Shang Hung Luk
April R. MacEachern
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Christopher Brien Malloy
Donna Marie Malloy
Noreen Bernadette Marron
Carlos José Mesa
Robin Peelle Drill Mevissen
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Shannon M. Mulligan
Bairanje Ramakrishna Nayak
Dawn Susan O'Shea
Peter Igbuan Oyakhire
Fontina Pateras
Diana Pesteanu-Grujenschi
Vincent A. Piraino
Gurnek Singh Rai
Della Roberts-McKay
David Brian Rosenblum
Lydia Rosner
Judith Lynn Schaffer
Beverly Therese Scott
Amy Dee Pruszenski Shorter
Catherine Kelly Theresa Simyan
Jason Randall Smith

Attleboro, Massachusetts
Holtsville, New York
West Seneca, New York
Woonsocket, Rhode Island
Toronto, Ontario, Canada
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Redlands, California
Richmond, California
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Forty Fort, Pennsylvania

Tracy Jacqueline Snowden
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Robert Douglas Yale
Sunny Yoon
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Shauna Glenn Zemken
Zhiren Zhu
Kathleen Thérèse Zinzer
Abraham Zlatin

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Sprakers, New York
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Wrightstown, Pennsylvania
Levittown, New York

Bachelor of Science in Optometry

Steven A. D'Alasandro

Lynbrook, New York

Degrees Awarded on November 20, 1992
Bachelor of Science in Optometry

Judith A. Butler
Stephen Michael Montaquila

Shelburne, Massachusetts
Cranston, Rhode Island

The information in this program should not be considered official proof that the degree was received.
All inquiries should be directed to the Registrar's Office.

1993 HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

LI RIQIAN, M.D.

DOCTOR OF OCULAR SCIENCE

Dr. Li Riqian is a graduate of Shanghai Second Medical University where he received his medical degree in 1959. He began his medical career at the First Affiliated Hospital of Wenzhou Medical College. Dr. Li's career progressed rapidly, from resident surgeon and lecturer to full Professor and surgeon in charge. By 1978 Dr. Li had become Vice President of both First Affiliated Hospital and Wenzhou Medical College. He now serves as President of Wenzhou Medical College.

Under President Li's leadership the Wenzhou Medical College established the first department of optometry in the People's Republic of China in 1988. Later, President Li facilitated the development of China's National Center of Optometry which was recognized by the Ministry of Public Health in 1992. These major accomplishments will yield important benefits for the visual well being for all citizens in China for decades to come.

Dr. Li has been an active member and leader of numerous medical organizations in China. He is currently the Chairman of the Chinese Medical Association in Wenzhou, Vice Chairman of the Zhejiang Medical Association, Chief Editor of the Chinese Medical Journal and Director of the National Center of Optometry.

SYLVIO L. DUPUIS, O.D.

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS

Dr. Sylvio L. Dupuis earned his Doctor of Optometry degree cum laude from the Illinois College of Optometry in 1957. He returned to his hometown of Manchester, New Hampshire to engage in private practice. While developing a successful practice, Dr. Dupuis established a record of unparalleled community service. In 1971 Dr. Dupuis was elected Mayor of Manchester, and in 1975 he assumed the Presidency of Catholic Medical Center (CMC). He was subsequently appointed to serve as the state's Commissioner of Health and Human Services in 1983.

In 1985 Dr. Dupuis was appointed President of The New England College of Optometry and served in that position until 1989. At that time Catholic Medical Center invited him once again to become President and Chief Executive Officer of CMC.

Dr. Sylvio Dupuis has been a director and member of many community, state and national organizations. He is currently Chairman-Elect of the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce, Director of the Executive Committee of the Business and Industry Association of New Hampshire, President of the Palace Theater Realty Trust, Director of EnergyNorth, Director of the New England Healthcare Assembly, and member of the Government Relations Committee of the Catholic Healthcare Association.

THE OPTOMETRIC OATH*

With full deliberation I freely and solemnly pledge that:

I will practice the art and science of optometry faithfully and conscientiously,
and to the fullest scope of my competence.

I will uphold and honorably promote by example and action the highest standards,
ethics and ideals of my chosen profession and the honor of the degree,
Doctor of Optometry, which has been granted me.

I will provide professional care for those who seek my services, with concern,
with compassion and with due regard for their human rights and dignity.

I will place the treatment of those who seek my care above personal gain and
strive to see that none shall lack for proper care.

I will hold as privileged and inviolable all information entrusted to me in
confidence by my patients.

I will advise my patients fully and honestly of all which may serve to restore,
maintain or enhance their vision and general health.

I will strive continuously to broaden my knowledge and skills so that my patients
may benefit from all new and efficacious means to enhance the care of
human vision.

I will share information cordially and unselfishly with my fellow optometrists and
other professionals for the benefit of patients and the advancement of human
knowledge and welfare.

I will do my utmost to serve my community, my country and humankind as a
citizen as well as an optometrist.

I hereby commit myself to be steadfast in the performance of this my solemn oath
and obligation.

*Adopted by the American Optometric Association and the Association of Schools and College of Optometry

